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OUTING OF CROSS COUNTY RIDERS

The first outing the Half-mile Club of Cross Country Riders occurred Tuesday night and was participated in by twenty-two enthusiasts. The committee on route selected, after due deliberation, Vichy springs as a suitable destination for the first outing. Mine Host Redemeyer was notified and immediately put a crew of men at work removing rocks, smoothing down high places and arranging soft places for alighting along the highway leading to that popular resort and also in preparing cushioned benches for the reception of the weary.

All being in readiness the start was made at 6:32 sharp, from the residence of Supervisor and Mrs. M. L. Gibson on State street, and after forming in fours the cavalcade swept down State street to Perkins and thereafter followed the meanderings of the streets leading to the springs. No casualties were reported on the trip over, and Vichy was reached after a continuous journey of one hour and twenty-seven and a half minutes. Several step ladders had been provided for the convenience of the guests in dismounting.

The guests were greeted by Mr. and Mrs. Redemeyer and led to the dining room where a sumptuos feast had been provided. The main thing that had captured the eye of the hungry guests was the delicious turkey and the way they attacked it was a shame. Of course the delicacies on the table also disappeared.

After dinner a visit was paid to the big Vichy spring where a pleasant hour was spent in conversation and song and drinking Vichy water. When the time for departure came, it was voted that Mr. and Mrs. Redemeyer were ideal hosts and that the popular summer resort well deserved the name it had won for hospitality.

The return was made in open order, no particular form of line being observed. Some of the members wanted to walk and lead their steeds but this was voted bad form and not allowable.

The following are the names of those who started on the trip and it is presumed that they have all returned by this time.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Banks, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jamison, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McClure, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Donohoe, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. White, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Weldon, Mrs. A. P. Brunner, Ethel Elledge; Miss Rowe, Madge Ellis; Messrs. Bond, Flaherty, Porterfield and Vic McClure.

Deputy Sheriff Takes Header.

Deputy Sheriff Cal Toney had a narrow escape last Thursday night. Some of the Indian hoppickers were returning home and stopped at the forks and were making a rough house. Cal was notified and immediately took a rig and started for the seat of war in a hurry. As it was rather dark and he was not giving his attention to approaching objects his buggy collided with one driven by a drummer. Cal took a header and was pretty badly bruised up but not seriously injured. His buggy was put out of commission and he returned with the the drummer, minus Indians.

Pleased With Ukiah

Mrs. L. F. Vann and friend, Mrs. Dr. Schmelz of San Francisco, spent last week visiting Sam Wheeler of this city. The ladies had a very enjoyable time and Mrs. Schmelz was delighted with Ukiah and its surroundings. They returned to San Francisco Monday morning.

Some Fine Tomatoes

T. A. Hunt of Coyote valley brought in a box of fine tomatoes this week. They go to show that a man can raise anything and lots of it in Coyote valley. He states that the crop is so large this year that he can hardly handle it. Although Mr. Hunt states the tomatoes were nothing extra they were certainly delicious.

NUPTIAL KNOTS BY JUDGE WHITE

Judge White demonstrated his ability this week as an all round athlete in his line by presiding over a murder trial all day and then at the close of court performing a double wedding. The happy couples were Robert Poe of Laytonville and Miss Walker of Jackson valley and Walter Mitchell and Miss Nellie Branscomb, both of Laytonville. W. H. Beal was also an important factor in the weddings and demonstrated his ability as best man. The happy couples had come to this city intending to wed Thursday but Beal got after them and explained the danger of delays, and finally convinced them that they should never put off until tomorrow what could be done today. It was for this reason that the weddings were performed on Wednesday. Besides Mr. Beal, Mr. and Mrs. Goforth of Poonkinney, George Bauer of Covelo and a number of other friends of the contracting parties were present at the ceremony. The brides were attractively attired in white and the grooms in conventional black. After the ceremony they retired to the Cecille for their wedding supper. Last night they were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Beal in this city where a number of friends had been invited to help celebrate the happy event.

ODD FELLOWS' IMPROVE HALL

The trustees of the Ukiah lodge, number 174, I. O. O. F., have let the contract for remodeling of the hall. The plans for the new building at the rear of the present one were drawn by Architect Sam Orr and Mr. Orr is the successful bidder the contract being for $7,300. The entire east wall which was injured by the recent earthquake will be torn out and rebuilt and an addition to the rear covering the entire lot will be erected. This will gaeatly increase the capacity of the store on the first floor and it will have a front on two streets as the site of the present warehouse will be occupied by the south front of plate glass. The second story of the addition will be devoted to a banquet room and other necessary adjuncts of a modern hall. When completed the Odd Fellows will have one of the finest and most convenient lodge rooms in the state and the increased floor space in the store will make it one of the most desirable in the city.

Injured At Planing Mill

Wm. Henry has been has been laid up for the past two weeks as the result of an accident at the planing mill of the Yokayo Lumber company. Bill was operating the boring machine and in walking around got his sleeve caught in the bit and his arm was drawn against the blade and badly lacerated. His presence of mind in reaching around and throwing off the belt was probably the only thing that saved his arm. As it was the artery only lacked a fraction of being severed. He is at present able to use the arm some and hopes to be at work in a few days.

Former Resident Holds Principalship

Frank Hoadley who was recently graduated from the Chico normal school has accepted a principalship in one of the grammar schools in Amador county. Mr. Hoadley was formerly a resident of this city being the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hoadely. His many friends here will be pleased to hear of his success.

Dickinson Gets An Auto

Dr. Dickinson is now the possessor of an automobile. It is a Reo runabout and was purchased through Mr. Hendricks of this city. The machine is said to be one of the best on the market for the price and is convertible into a four seater. The doctor is becoming quite an expert chauffeur.

Some Pointers for The T Bellringers

The candidacy of Theodore Bell for governor on the democratic ticket brings up memories of his former campaigns, and especially the one of two years ago. Bell is a young fellow who possesses more political ambition than political sense and dresses and acts more like a minister than a politician. In his addresses he is careful to abuse no one, not even the town bum. On the other hand, however, he always has a traveling companion who is a mud slinger of the first order to do the dirty work. The man who is opposing Bell is always discovered to be a vilian of the deepest dye. It is also discovered that butter will not melt in Bell's mouth.

When he ran against McKinlay it was suddenly discovered that McKinlay was a red eyed villian. Lies by the score were circulated in an underhanded manner, aimed at the domestic life of McKinlay. Even at the convention at Santa Cruz Bell could not keep his hands off and it was reported there that McKinlay would not accept the nomination again for the position which he has so ably fiilled, and dark reasons were hinted at as the cause of his refusal. Of course, the supporters of McKinlay jumped on this statement with both feet and immediately proceeded to run it down. Now, who do you suppose they found on the other end of the story? Only Theodore's brother who had been sent down to the convention city for the purpose of putting the statement in circulation. Things got so warm that the ardent little Bell hiked on the next train for parts more congenial.

Bell is also denunciatory of corporations and trusts and other supposed opressors of the people and you could imagine the meek looking little fellow grabbing a Southern Pacific or a Standard oil octopus by the neck and just naturally strangling it to death in the interest of the common people. The tender hearted were almost led to tears when they imagined Theodore making the poor octopus eyes bug out, but if they will consider the following statement from one of the best posted political writers of the day, and a statement that has not even been contradicted, they will save the tears to shed over Theo's political grave:

"They nominated for governor Theodore A. Bell, who had to sacrifice his word to accept the place, because he had been pledged to his friend Diggs until overcome by his singular ambition to run for an office for which he hasn't a burgular's chance. He boldly declared his opposition to Herrin and Hearst, and if he is no more opposed to the latter than to Herrin no harm is done. For when he first ran for Congress I secured his biography from Herrin's office and found that he depended for his chief support upon the railroad people.—E. H. Hamilton in the Examiner."

That is pretty bad isn't it but this is worse. The announcement has gone out that Bell will spend the greater part of his time in the southern part of the state lecturing with Tim Spellacy, the chairman of the democratic state committee, as chaperone. Oh! my. And Tim Spellacy is an old and valued employee of the Standard Oil company and has thousands of men working under him in the oil fields of the south. What an outlook for the resident of California. We may have had Southern Pacific governors, but think of combining the two and have a halfbreed Southern Pacific and Standard Oil governor. Where would the "common" or even uncommon people come in?

So far any stories that may have been started regarding Gillet by the bellringers have not reached here, but lookout. They are sure to come. Any Republican who receives a nomination must be a villian especially when running against Mr. Bell. His muckrake handlers are devoted and work overtime. The fortunate thing for the citizens of this state is that the democrats are divided hopelessly and that there is not a ghost of a show of them winning an office on the state ticket. Gillets majority is only a question of thousands and the landslide will completely envelop Bell who by the way is himself an attorney for a proposed railroad. As the democrats loudly proclaim they will be there with Bells—under the landslide.

CAUGHEY BOOM IN SAN FRANCISCO

At Vincints, 1355 Fillmore street, San Francisco, the visitor is confronted with a large silken banner bearing the inscription: Vote for Frank L. Caughey for clerk of the supreme court." The banner has been on exhibition since the day the nominations were made by the Republicans at Santa Cruz and was presented by Mr. Kidwell, familiarly known in this county as the "Big Kid." Mr. Kidwell is an ardent admirer of Caughey's, having known him while in the county. The report has been spreading about the banner and the place is now having a heavy run of Mendocino county people, who go around to see it. When Frank was in the city last week some of his friends, former residents of this county, took him around and gave him a surprise, as he had no idea that a banner bearing his name existed in San Francisco. They say that Caughey lost no time in showing his appreciation.

Commendable Improvements

Leander Gobbi is erecting a handsome cottage on the Gobbi lot on Perkins street. It will be occupied by the Gobbi's as soon as completed. The old house will be torn down and a modern residence will be erected on its site. The improvement is a good one for the town end will add greatly to the residence district as the lot which has for years lain idle will contain two handsome residences.

THE JURY FINDS SIMMONS GUILTY

The case of the People vs. Simmons, charged with the murder of Jacob Frei near Covelo recently, occupied the superior court this week. The case was given to the jury yesterday afternoon. In securing a jury the venire was exhausted and only four jurymen were secured. A special venire of twenty-five was then called and the jury completed. In the neighborhood of fifty witnesses were here from Round valley on the case.

At about 6 o'clock last evening the jury came in. Their foreman, W J Hildreth, reported that they had agreed on a verdict of guilty as charged, with a recommendation of life imprisonment. Judge White will pronounce sentence Tuesday morning.

The case of George Rockey charged with the murder of Bell was commenced yesterday afternoon. After eight jurors had been secured the venire was exhausted and the sheriff was instructed to summons twenty-five more to report at five o'clock yesterday.

It May Be Serious

Anderson and Handy of the Mendocino county Abstract Bureau, when queried by a reporter for news, stated that Town Trustee Smith had worked all day Monday. They were considerably worried as they say that the symptom is such a rare one that they cannot remember whether it is an indication that he is ill or only that he has turned over a new leaf.

SCARCITY OF SAW MILL HANDS

The extraordinary demand for men with which to man the mills, and to keep up the crews in the camps along the coast caused a great scramble on the part of the mill owners when the Gualala mill was burned. Wm. Luks, superintendent of the Stearns lumber company's plant at Wendling, lost no time in reaching Gualala and succeeded in getting a few men. Mr. Anthony, acting superintendent at Albion, also made a trip down there and secured a few men. Ruel Perkins made the trip and got a number of men. But the Caspar company worked it the cutest of any of them. W. B. Coombs was in the city at the time and his company sent him up with the steamer Samoa and he, with the assistance of Harry Burwash, who was on the ground, succeeded in getting from forty to fifty men, says the Mendocino Beacon.

In what this dearth in the labor market is going to result is difficult to conjecture at this time, but the rains of winter will no doubt change the aspect of the problem quite materially. Men are badly needed in the woods from now until winter to insure a plentiful supply of logs to keep the mills running without interruption until next spring.

BERT CLELAND PROVES ALIBI

Will York and some of the other jokers put up, what they supposed to be a joke, on Professor B. L. Cleland this week. They called Marshall Higgins and stated their case to him and explained that Bert had not done a stroke of work for several weeks and had no visible means of support. Therefore he should be arrested for a vag. Prof. Cleland appeared at about the same time and was approached by Marshal Higgins on the subject. He admitted that the allegations were true and that he had not been doing anything, as it was vacation time in his school district, it was the wrong time for the board of education to meet and he had all the county expert work up in good shape and was just naturally worked out of a job.

The explanation was no go, however, and the marshal insisted that he find something to do. Professor Cleland signified his willingness to accept the first position that came along—anything to keep busy. While they were talking central telephoned for a messenger boy and Cleland was the only man in sight. He didn't back out, went over and delivered the message. It took him five minutes and he got ten cents. He is now defying the world to accuse him of being a vag, and the joke would have been on the jokers only Professor Cleland could not resist the temptation to spend the dime with York & Cleland.

Death of Nellie Tutt.

The community was saddened this week by the news of the death of Miss Nellie Tutt in San Francisco Wednesday. She had been quite ill and was taken to San Francisco to undergo an operation, but her enfeebled condition prevented her from rallying after the shock of the operation. The remains were brought to this city and the funeral took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence on Main street. A very touching funeral sermon was preached by Rev. Stewart and the remains were followed to their last resting place by a host of admiring and sorrowful friends. The deceased was the daughter of Mrs. Thomas R. Tutt of this city and was born in South Bend, Indiana. She moved with her parents to this city in 1881 where she has since resided and won the friendship and admiration of the community by her gentle disposition and kindly actions. The sympathy of the community goes out to the sorrowing mother and other relatives.

D. E. M'KINLAY OPENS CAMPAIGN

On Tuesday evening the Republican campaign was opened in Point Arena by Congressman Duncan E. McKinlay, who is again the nominee of the party for reelection, says the Record. Four large bonfires illuminated Main street in honor of the event, and at 8 o' clock the hall was well filled with a most attentive and enthusiastic audience.

County Comitteeman J. C. Halliday occupied the chair, and before introducing the principal speaker called upon E. P. Gillmore, candidate for Supervisor in this district, and E. E. Holbrook the nominee for County Recorder. Both gentlemen made a brief address, pledging themselves that if elected would give the county the very best service they are capable of.

Mr. McKinlay was received with a well merited demonstration of approval and for an hour and a half reviewed the issues of the campaign and his record as represenative of the district in Congress. His speech was eloquent and forceful and a plain statement of the principles and policies of the Republican party. He told of his lectures in the East against the repeal of the Chinese exclusion law, and took issue with Mr. J. B. Sanford for the mistatement that he had neglected his duties in the House. He believed that he was doing the Western states a benefit when entering a vigorous protest of the growing sentiment in the East and South to repeal the Chinese exclusion law that labor troubles might be overcome by letting in hordes of Asiatics to compete in the labor markets.

Mr. McKinlay was the prime mover in securing $8,000 to drain Round Valley, $50,000 for a lighthouse near Caspar and with senator Perkin's assistance of getting an appropriation of $92,000 for the building of a new lighthouse at Point Arena. Mendocino county would be ungrateful indeed, if it did not appreciate this service by giving Mr. McKinlay a greater majority than he received two years ago.

The political campaign so far as the speech making part is concerned was opened here Wednesday night by Congressman D. E. McKinlay, Republican candidate for reelection, says the Beacon. The N. S. G. W. band played and a sextet sang some campaign songs. The fore part of Mr. McKinlay's speech was a first-vote talk designed to show the advantages to the country of a protective tariff and the necessity of sending a Republican Represenative to Congress to help maintain the tariff and who. to accomplish tangible results for his constituency, must be in accord with the Administration. He also showed why it became necessary to deliver lectures in the Eastern cities during the agitation in Congress for the repeal of the Chinese Exclusion Act. The speech was well received by a large audience.

E. E. Holbrook, cahdidate for Recorder, and Alex Rawles, candidate for Sheriff, each made brief remarks.

Accepts Position In Reno

Mr. and Mrs. D. McDonald are now located at Reno, Nevada. Mr. McDonald resigned his position with the United Railroads of San Francisco shortly after their visit to this city a few months ago and accepted a position with the American Tea company and is now manager of their branch at Reno. Mrs. McDonald will be remembered as Miss Carrie Van Allen formerly a member of the Press staff.

Anniversary Celebrated

The anniversary of Odd Fellowship was fittingly celebrated by the members of the local Rebekah lodge Monday night. A pleasing program and light refreshments were the order of the evening. Two candidates were initiated.

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couldn't read any expression of Ryder's, at the Red Star bar or elsewhere, which indicated that there was any spiritual uplift to his nature which had fed at secret altars; so he pictured the friend and citizen, and the dead fared well at his hands, perhaps better than he was conscious of, for he said no more than he believed.

Then came the prayer and hymn, to be succeeded by a heavy, solemn pause, and Mr. Williamson stepped to the front of the platform.

"All those who care to view the remains—and I presume there are many here who will wish to look upon the face of our dead friend before it is conveyed to its final resting place—will please form in line at the rear of the edifice and advance quietly up the right aisle, passing across the church as quickly as possible and thence down the left aisle and on out through the door. This will prevent confusion and make it much pleasanter for all."

There was a rustle of skirts and the awkward shuffling of many feet as the congregation formed in line; then it filed slowly up the aisle to where Chris Berry stood, weazened and dry, with a vulture look on his face and a vulture touch to his hands that now and again picked at the flowers which were banked about the coffin.

The Emorys, partly out of regard for public sentiment, had attended the funeral, for, as the doctor said, they were the only real friends Griff had in the town. They had known and liked him when the rest of Antioch was dubiously critical of the newcomer, whose ways were not its ways.

When the congregation thronged up the aisle Constance, who had endured the long service, which to her was unspeakably grotesque and horrible, in shocked if silent rebellion slipped her hand into her mother's. "Take me away," she whispered brokenly, "or I shall cry out! Take me away!"

Mrs. Emory hesitated. It seemed a desertion of a trust to go and leave Griff to these strangers, who had been brought there by morbid curiosity. Constance guessed what was passing in her mind.

"Papa will remain if it is necessary."

Mrs. Emory touched the doctor on the shoulder. "We're going home, John; Constance doesn't feel well; but you stay."

When they reached the street the last vestige of Constance's self control vanished utterly. "Wasn't it awful!" she sobbed. "And his life had only just begun! And to be snuffed out like this, when there was everything to live for!"

Mrs. Emory, surprised at the sudden show of feeling, looked into her daughter's face. Constance understood the look.

"No, no! He was only a friend! He could never have been more than that. Poor, poor Griff!"

"I am glad for your sake, dearie," said Mrs. Emory gently.

"I wasn't very kind to him at the last, but I couldn't know—I couldn't know," she moaned.

She was not much given to these confidences even with her mother. Usually she never questioned the wisdom or righteousness of her own acts, and it was not her habit to put them to the test of a less generous judgment, but she was remembering her last meeting with Ryder. It had been the day before his death. He had told her that he loved her, and she had flared up, furious and resentful, with the dull, accusing ache of many days in her heart and a cruel readiness to make him suffer. She had tried to convince herself afterward that it was only his vanity that was hurt.

Then she thought of Oakley. She had been thinking of him all day, wondering where he was, if he had left Antioch, and not daring to ask. They were going up the path now toward the house, and she turned to her mother again.

"What do they say of Mr. Oakley—I mean Mr. Dan Oakley? I don't know why, but I'm more sorry for him than I am for Griff. He has so much to bear!"

"I heard your father say he was still here. I suppose he has to remain. He can't choose."

"What will be done with his father if he is captured? Will they"— She could not bring herself to finish the sentence.

"Goodness knows! I wouldn't worry about him," said Mrs. Emory in a tone of considerable asperity. "He made all the trouble, and I haven't a particle of patience with him!"

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The world which took but six days to make is like to take 6,000 to make out.—Bruyne.

PRIZE-FIGHT IN PRIVATE HOME

CHICAGO SOCIETY CLUBMAN HAS EXCLUSIVE BOXING CONTEST IN HIS PALATIAL HOME.

Battling Berger and Mike Mullin Battle With Each Other to Entertain Elite Men and Women.

Chicago, Sept. 25.—Several club men and society women were spectators at three prize fights in the home of a fashionable South Sider on Grand boulevard Sunday evening. The bouts were held in a ring pitched in the billiard room of the society man's residence, and the fighters battled until the ring was covered with blood and their faces were battered frightfully.

The fighters were held as a trial of the prowess of a "Battling" Berger, a portege of a sporting clubman. Berger whipped three men, taking one after another. Throughout the mills the women present, as well as the male attendants, cheered the fighters to their utmost efforts, and the results, from all accounts, were satisfactory "to the promoters of the fashionable sporting event."

The first opponent of Berger was a welterweight named Mike Mullin, who, despite his advantage in weight over Berger, who is a lightweight, was forced to quit in four rounds. "Rock" Conklin, a North Side lightweight, was the next antagonist, and was knocked out in the first round. The last fighter was fortunate in having Berger pretty well tired out and succeeded in staying six rounds, taking a terrible beating for his pains.

The fighters were met downtown in the evening and paid what is said to be a lavish purse for their services. The women spectators were taken from the house in an automobile and the fighters were sent in a roundabout route in a cab to the city. The location of the residence where the fighters displayed their prowess before the social satellites was zealously guarded from outsiders, but one of those who were entertained, a prominent clubman who paid the pugilists for the bout admits its location is in Grand boulevard, near Thirty-ninth street.

The story leaked out through the discussion of the merits of the men at a restaurant.

HAS A TORTORICI CASE.

Beheaded and Dismembered Body of a Man Found in Pit.

New York, Sept. 24.—Beheaded and dismembered, the body of a man still warm, was found yesterday in a pit at Eleventh avenue and West Thirty-sixth street. The head and parts of limbs were missing. The corpse bore many stab wounds and there was every indication that the victim had been murdered only a few hours when discovered.

Within a short time the police resources of the city were being strained to solve a mystery that seemed even more baffling than the famous Guldensuppe murder of nine years ago.

The case is also reminiscent of the famous Tortorici murder case that startled San Francisco about a year and a half ago.

Eight thousand police are working on the mystery and trying to find the perpetrators of the terrible crime.

Lived on Acorns for a Week.

Hood River Ore., Sept. 25.—Neighbors yesterday found Mrs. G. A. Lewis and her five children almost famished at their farm at White Salmon. They had lived entirely on acorns for the last week. The husband and father left a month ago for Eastern Oregon to teach school, leaving his family destitute. The mother and youngest child are seriously ill.

Citizens of White Salmon ordered a wagonload of provisions sent to the family and will see that they receive medical attention.

To Restore Old Colton Hall.

Santa Cruz, Sept. 22.—Frank Mattison of this city, who is president of the Colton Hall Association, is in Monterey letting the contracts and making arrangements for the restoration of this historic landmark of California.

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If you want to buy or sell town or country property, call on J. M. Owen.

WANTED—To buy military bounty land warrants issued to soldiers of the Mexican war, the Indian wars and the war of 1812.

MENTIONED PERSONALLY

The two year old daughter of Mr and Mrs. Grover King of Potter died last Sunday of brain fever.

Mrs. Slingerland of Potter has been very ill the last few days.

A musical sketch entitled, "A Dress Rehearsel," will be given at Mark's hall, Friday, October 26, under the auspices of the Epworth League of the M. E. church, south.

B. N. Springer, the Republican nominee for county surveyor, was in this city Monday interviewing the elusive voter. He reports a roseate prospect for the Republican candidates this fall.

Attorney C. Mannon left this week for San Francisco where he will argue a case before the supreme court. He will be joined in San Francisco by Mrs. Mannon who has been spending the past two weeks visiting friends and relatives in Fresno.

Sinks, bathtubs, etc., at Donohoe & Ganter

Miss Kate Phelphs of this city is visiting the family of Ed, P. Lewis in Santa Rosa.

Eldred McKesson formerly of this city has accepted a position as teacher in the grammar school at Paso Robles.

Special sale of California hams at Cox's grocery store, tomorrow, for one day only. Price 12½ cents a pound.

M. L. Turner of Hardy was over this week on jury duty. He stated that business interests made it very hard for him to attend but that he was always ready to do his duty as an American citizen. He is just recovering from an injury received a few weeks ago in which he got a few broken ribs.

John McWhinney was down from Potter this week and states that he feels pretty good for a boy. He reports everything prosperous in his section of the country.

George Shinn was down from Potter Monday on a business visit. He reports a good hop crop in the valley this year and states that he got over a ton to the acre off of part of his field. He will have a few tons over his contract to dispose of and feels quite elated.

Jake Newcomer, of the Castle bar is spending the week at the Lake county resorts rusticating and trying to get rid of the rheumatism.

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Clarance Ganter returned this week from Shasta county where he has been for some months back. He expects to remain in town for a few days.

Frank N. LaPorte was called to Santa Rosa this week by the death of mother. The funeral of that estimable lady occurred in that city Tuesday.

R. H. McCandlass and family have moved back to this city and expect to make their home here in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Rea returned to Ukiah Sunday. It now looks as if Joe will again roll up one of his phenominal majorities in Round valley, says the Review.

R. E. Donohue has so far recovered from his recent injury as to be able to navigate without crutches. He thinks he will now be able to run faster, although he yet has a slight limp.

Holland cheese at Lucas Bros.

Attorney J. K. Piersoll was over from the coast this week as an attorney in the trail of George Rockey, associated with McNab & Hirsch. He reports that times were never better on the coast and that the future outlook for that section of the county is exceedingly bright.

Dr. and Mrs. S. L. Rea left last week for a visit to Portland. The doctor is considerably run down from close attention to his practice and will take a complete rest for a couple of weeks.

Limberger cheese at Lucas Bros.

Figs for canning, from the Thompson place. Address E. V. D. Paul Ukiah.

H. H. Hart, who has charge of the local railroad in this division, has been under the weather for a few days this week. He reports that he is short of laborers and could use several more if he could secure them.

Treasurer and Mrs. J. N. Rea returned last week from Covelo, their old home. Mr. Rea interviewed his old friends during his stay there in the interests of his candidacy for the assessorship. Round valley always stands solidly for Joe Rea and well they may. He is one of the best officials the county ever had and the voters will insist on his serving them again.

The Cause of Many Sudden Deaths.

There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidney-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs, causing catarrh of the bladder, or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell.

Bladder troubles almost always result from a derangement of the kidneys and a cure is obtained quickest by a proper treatment of the kidneys. If you are feeling badly you can make no mistake by taking Dr. Kilmer's **Swamp-Root,** the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

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J. T. Ruddie is quite ill this week.

Major John Davidson of Vallejo was in town this week renewing acquaintances and also attending to business connected with the Uniform Rank Knights of Pythias. Major Davidson is city superintendent of schools of Vallejo.

Pipe, pumps and tanks at Donohoe & Ganter.

C. W. Mathews, the Republican nominee for auditor, is making a house to house canvass of the county. He was in this city Friday but left Saturday to finish his campaign. He is making a good fight and his friends feel certain that he will be in the courhouse next year.

W. S. Van Dyke, the republican nominee for tax collector, started out again this week to resume his canvass of the county. He has been spending a few days at his home in Covelo since his visit here and will now take in the coast. Very favorable reports are coming from his canvass.

If you want a sack of good, smooth cooking potatoes, call at C. Hofman's.

Jack Dunnebeck, the genial clerk at the Palace returned last week from a visit to Sacramento. He also took in Lake county and renewed old acquaintances.

Mrs. Malpas, who has been spending several months past at the Cecille in this city has returned to her home in San Francisco last week. She was accompanied by her son, Al Malpas, who spent a few days visiting in San Francisco and the bay cites.

Joseph always has the latest in jewelry. That's what you want.

Grammar school in this city opened Monday.

If you want something for a present what could you get that would be nicer than a piece of jewelry or cut glass? Joseph has a full line and prices are right

R. X. Ryan, general passenger agent of the local railroad, spent a few days visiting in this city, last week.

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Mrs. Gambrel of Largo was in this city last Friday on a business visit.

Chas. Crawford, one of Largo's prosperous hop growers, was in this city Friday attending to business interests.

Cox's grocery store is the exclusive agent for sanitarium foods. You can't get them anywhere else in town.

H. Oland and son of San Francisco were in this city last week. Mr. Oland is president of the National Ice company.

Figs for canning, from the Thompson place. Address E. V. D. Paul, Ukiah.

Potatoes—Just received a carload of fine table potatoes at C. Hofman's.

Louis Gonsalves of Mendocino, the Republican nominee for district attorney, was in this city last week in the interest of his candidacy. He is making a thorough canvass and reports that the fight is by no means one-sided. He left Friday for the northern part of the county. From there he will go down the coast and home where he will remain a few days attending to business interests before his final tour of the county. Mr. Gonsalves is a bright young gentleman and is making warm friends wherever he goes.

Mr and Mrs. Leroy Jackson came up from San Jose last week to attend the funeral of Mr. Jackson's father, the late L. W. Jackson. Roy is now a department manager in one of Hale Bros. large stores in San Jose

Call at Luce & Emery's and see their large stock of trimmed hats. Special attention given to children's hats. Open evenings by appointment.

For Rent—Five-room cottage with all modern improvements. Electric lights and water. Enquire here.

Attorney and Mrs. J. S. O'Neil of Cloverdale were in this city last week. Mr. O'Neill was called here on land business.

The fruit dryer of John Studebaker, near Christine, was burned to the ground last Sunday. The fire caught from a coal falling out of the furnace while the family was at lunch. The loss will be $500 and will be keenly felt just now, as the drying is about to begin, says the Mendocino Beacon.

Our map paper and souvenir envelopes will advertise the county without extra expense. Address W. O. White for samples and prices.

Wanted—Clean cotton rags at this office.

Fort Bragg was represented as follows in this city this week: C Pendretti, D Babyarini, M Jones, A Hankala, Ed Stoddard, A Lappinen, J A Newman, Bud Switzer and H W Little and Mrs Tony Lemoe, J S Corrigan and Mr and Mrs J J Caldwell.

George Hood, a prominent sheep raiser, was up from his home at Fountain this week.

When you buy a present for your girl you want to give her something that will be a thing of beauty and a joy forever. This, of course, must be a piece of jewelry. The place to go is Ewert's. If you do not know exactly what you want they will help you make your selection and give you the advantage of years of experience

Mrs. J. R. Elder returned this week from a visit to friends and relatives in Anderson valley.

Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Page formerly of Boonville are now located at 117 Carillo street, Santa Rosa.

L. Medicus of Noyo was in town last week on his way home after a visit to Alameda and the bay cities.

Swiss cheese at Lucas Bros.

Highest price paid for all kinds of hides and furs at C. Hofman's. tf

I have buyers for town property What have you? J. M. OWEN.

R. B. Funk of Cleone passed through town on his way home after attending the convention at Santa Cruz. He spent a few weeks visiting in the southern part of the state.

Miss Leta Smart of Willits is visiting Mrs. Al Frehe of this city.

Mrs. Al Frehe left this week for Willits where she will spend a couple of months. Al is now handling an engine on the Willits end of the route.

Fresh yeast at Cox's grocery every Monday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Broback left this week for Seattle. Mr. Broback is greatly improved in health and will probably engage in business in the north. His many friends are pleased to know of his recovery.

Mrs. R. R. Armas of Mendocino passed through this city last week on her way to Santa Rosa to visit friends and relatives.

Figs for canning, from the Thompson place. Address E. V. D. Paul, Ukiah.

Special sale of California hams at Cox's grocery store tomorrow, for the one day only. Price 12½ cents a pound.

Cloverdale Olive Oil at Cloverdale prices. Sold exclusively at J. R. Mathew's pharmacy.

Ewert has the swellest line of jewelry in town and his prices are right.

Mrs. Bowlin Hiatt of Yorkville presented her husband with a fine son last Thursday. Bowlin is now one of the proudest men of Anderson valley and fells sure that they will soon have a democratic majority.

Mrs. Ulsteen and daughter of San Francisco are visiting in this city.

Attorney J. L McNab will be unable to attend the Union Sunday School convention at Willits this week on account of court business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Anker of Cloverdale were in this city a few days last week. They were just returning from a camping trip. Mr. Anker who was formerly in the barber business in this city is now in business in Cloverdale.

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Jim Flaherty was down from Willits this week on a business visit. He reports that times are booming in that city and that Willits will return a goodly Republican majority at the fall elections.

Mrs. Arthur J. Thatcher left yesterday for Willits to attend the Sunday school convention which will be held in that city today and tomorrow.

R. N. Chipps was down from Calpella this week.

George Gill, N Line, George Lewis and Wm. Dunn of Westport represented that city in town this week.

W. S. Fought, Gus Gustafson and George Helson of Comptche were representing that section in this city this week.

Do not forget that Ewert does repair work, If he fixes your watch it is fixed.

John Burgess was in from his sheep ranch on Cold creek this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clow were over from Philo this week. Mr. Clow was on jury duty and Mrs. Clow visited at Talmage.

John Dahl of Noyo had business in town this week.

J. H. Wellhom was down from Sherwood during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Tregoning of Caspar were in town this week. They were accompanied by Miss Mamie Jefferson who visiied with Dr. and Mrs. Hodghead.

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Figs for canning, from the Thompson place. Write E. V. D. Paul Ukiah.

Wiley Pickie and Tod F. McGee were down from Potter this week.

J. M. Poig. C. W. Hogan and Joshua English of Caspar were over on court business this week.

D. R. Beebe of Point Arena spent the week in town.

Mr and Mrs. G. W. Cummings of Covelo were registered at the Palace this week.

W. M. Dickey was down from Potter renewing old acquaintances and attending to duty this week.

A. H. Spurr of Lakeport was over this week looking after the telephone line.

T. M. Mitchell was among the jurymen in town this week.

Mrs. S. L. Fay of Potter valley was in town this week.

J. M. Dill, W. S. Pinches and Sam Pinches of Laytonville were down on jury duty this week. They expect to visit San Francisco before their return home

Lost—Ladies small hunting case gold watch. Either on the streets of Ukiah or between this city and Coyote valley. Finder will return to C. B. Hopkins and receive reward.

Mrs. Byron Clark and daughter, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lucene Edwards of this city, returned to their home at San Jose Sunday.

He may look pleasant whatever you offer, but set out "Old Gilt Edge" whisky and he'll feel pleasant. Wholesale at Wichman, Lutgen & Co., Alameda, Cal.

Attorney E. F. Swortfiguer of Willits passed through town this week week after a visit to San Francisco.

Rev. Schillinger of Covelo was transferred by conferance to the Indian work in this and Lake counties formerly handled by Rev. Ewing. Rev. Ewing is now located at Penns Grove.

Mrs W B Hagans presented her husband with an eight-pound girl Wednesday. Will now wears a very pleasing smile.

Attorney J E Pemberton of this city has been named as the Democratic campaign committeemen for this county.

Wanted—Boy to deliver papers and learn printing business. Enquire at this office.

Wanted—Young lady to learn typesetting. Enquire here.

The following residents of Covelo were in town this week, most of them on court busines: C W Rohrbough, Ed Gibson, Gene Gibson, W C Latham, G C Bauer, M E Nicholson, H T Thompson, Chief of Police Redwine, W C Bauer, J T Hans, Mrs J Bauer, Mrs L Hame, Mr and Mrs G H Hancock.

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Sunday School every Lord's Day at 10 a. m.

Communion Services at 11 a. m during the absence of the Pastor Rev. Otha Wilkinson The interest manifested by the members in all the services of the church at this time is very encouraging and helpful.

Christian Endeavor Services at 7 o'clock every Lord's Day evening. All are welcome Strangers especially.

Ladies' Aid every Wednesday at 3 P. M.

Teachers meeting at 8 P. M. every Wednesday.

Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF SUSAN PARK McNAB, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of said deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said Deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at the law offices of McNab & Hirsch in the [illegible] Building in Ukiah City [illegible] the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the County of Mendocino, State of California.

Dated September 12, 1906.

J. L. McNAB,
Administrator with will annexed of estate of Susan Park McNab.
MAURICE HIRSCH,
Attorney for Estate.

THE SNARLS OF TIME

POPE GREGORY'S CORRECTION OF THE JULIAN CALENDAR.

At One Time October Was the Year's Shortest Month—It Contained Only Twenty-one Days In 1582—Commotion the Change Made In England.

Did you ever hear of the famous short month of October, which had only twenty-one days? Some three centuries ago in southern Europe men tried to correct an error that had been growing continually for more than a thousand years, and the result was that they called the day after Oct. 4, 1582, Oct. 15 instead of Oct. 5.

We get our ideas and principles regarding the calendar from two sources, Roman and Jewish. Every one knows that the names of the months are Latin, and in the histories we read how the various Roman rulers changed the distribution of days within the month, etc., to suit their pride or political schemes, much as modern politicians hasten or postpone a convention, and brought things into great confusion until Julius Caesar decreed that the coming year should consist of 365 days and every fourth year of 366. The extra day was to be inserted between the 24th and 25th of February. In their way of numbering the days of the month, which seems to us so awkward, the 24th was sexto calendas, or the sixth day before the calends of March. When the extra day was inserted it was called the second sixth, or, in Latin, bissexto calendas, whence our bissextile.

From Jewish sources we get other features. The great Jewish festival of the passover was celebrated on the very day of the first full moon after the spring equinox. The early Christians, or many of them, took the same day, but this led to charges of heresy, to discussion, criticism and even contempt; so it was decreed probably by Constantine the Great in 325 A. D., in connection with the council of Nicaea, that the Christian festival Easter should be observed on the Sunday following the passover, and the other movable feasts of the church were made dependent on this. So the element of a fixed day of the week was brought into the calculation.

In this year—325—the vernal equinox fell on March 21, and, if Caesar's work in establishing the Julian calendar had only been correct, this event would have happened on this date forever. But nature seems to abhor simple ratios as she was said to abhor a vacuum. Unfortunately for simplicity the year is not exactly 365 days 6 hours, but about 11 minutes 14 seconds less. So the insertion of the extra day in four years was overdoing the correction, as was known even in the dark ages, but after the revival of learning and the establishment of observatories it was commented on in the council of Trent and was very much discussed by mathematicians. And by the middle of the sixteenth century the hundreds of small errors had accumulated to ten days, so the vernal equinox fell not on the 21st, but on the 11th, of March.

This was the condition of things when, in 1572, Pope Gregory XIII. was elected. He realized the glory that it would be to his reign if this confusing matter was settled, and so set a company of mathematicians to work out the problem, not only of rectifying the old errors, but of providing rules to prevent errors in the future. The hardest part of the work was to fix the movable church feasts without doing violence to the traditions. That a good deal could be said about the work is evidenced by the book of 800 pages written by Clavius, one of the company. The result was that in 1581 a papal bull was issued declaring, among other things, that in 1582 the day following Oct. 4 should be called Oct. 15 and that centuries should not be leap years unless divisible by 400.

Rulers and states that were then Catholic responded to the pope's request for acceptance of the reform. In France the ten days were dropped after Dec. 9, 1582; in Catholic Germany the change was made in 1584, but the Protestant states delayed until Feb. 19 (March 1), 1600. In Switzerland and Poland there was such resistance made that the troops were necessary to suppress it.

The change was long delayed in Protestant England, which would not willingly accept an alleged reform due to a pope that had encouraged the armada. But the need of the uniformity among neighboring states was too great, and in 1751 Lord Chesterfield introduced into parliament a bill for the reform of the calendar. Some details of the law may be quoted from a magazine of September, 1752: "Sept. 14—This day the Gregorian style took place in all Europe, Asia, Africa and America. This day, had not this act passed, would have been the 3d of September, but it was now reckoned the 14th, eleven nominal days being omitted. Every fourth year will be a bissextile, or leap year, until 1800, which will be a common year of 365 days, but 1804 will be a leap year. Easter and the movable feasts thereon depending are to be reckoned according to the new tables prefixed to the act of parliament. All the fixed feast days * * * are to be kept on the same nominal day as heretofore. Payment of rent notes, * * * the attainment of majority or expiration of apprenticeships * * * shall not be accelerated hereby. * * * If servants' wages are usually paid at the quarter days, eleven days' wages may be deducted out of the present quarter and the reckoning for the future go regularly on." Such were some of the minute provisions of the act. It will be readily believed that ignorant people could not understand this, and we are told of mobs marching through the land crying, "Give us back our eleven days!"

FRENZIED MOBS SLAY NEGROES

CROWDS RUSH THROUGH THE STREETS KILLING ALL THE BLACKS THEY MEET.

Militia Is Powerless to Stay Murderers in the Southern City of Atlanta, Ga.

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 24.—Estimates as to the number of negroes killed run all the way from 15 to 40. It is probable that twenty will be nearer the correct number. From 150 to 200 persons, some white, some negro women, most negro men have been injured more or less, and 60 are in the different hospitals.

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 24.—Ten dead negroes and half a hundred suffering from wounds is the result of the mob spirit which seized upon the white people of Atlanta Saturday night, following attacks on three white women, which followed one another in quick succession. Shortly after 8 o'clock the Atlanta white became incensed against the negroes because of nine attacks on white women by negroes, and these three attacks Saturday night were sufficient to put the mob spirit in action.

"Kill the negroes!" was heard in every section of the city, and the deadly work began. There was no one great mob, but scores of small ones made up of young men and half grown boys operated against the negroes in various scions of the city. Wherever a negro was seen he was immediately the target for bullets, knives, sticks, stones and every other weapon that was obtainable. Several were beaten to death. Most of the negroes killed met their deaths on street cars. The mobs would watch for the cars and when a negro was seen inside the car would be captured and the negro would either be killed or beaten half to death. Two negroes were killed on a Forsyth street car in plain sight of the editorial rooms of the Atlanta Constitution. The mob saw two negro men on the car accompanied by two women. The car was captured, the negro women forced to get out, and the negroes shot to death. There did not seem to be a grown man in the mob. The lynchers in this particular party would not average over 20 years of age.

The Forsyth street tragedy was repeated on the Georgia avenue and the Forest avenue cars which go into the negro quarters of Atlanta. The police were powerless. The street car people caught on to the tactics of the mob in watching for cars going into the negro quarter, and in consequence every car was stopped.

Mobs began to invade negro barber shops and to attack the barbers and bootblacks.

One of the most numerous of the mobs surged about the Piedmont Hotel, in the heart of the city, and stabbed several negroes. Here Police Commissioner English, who is president of the Fourth National Bank made an impassioned plea for the mob to disperse, but he might as well have talked to the wind. He was answered by cries of, "Kill the negroes; they won't leave white women alone until they are dead!"

Down Decatur street, which in a way is Atlanta's Bowery, being thickly lined with negro saloons and restaurants, swept a great mob, smashing saloons and eating stands and assaulting every negro who did not save himself by flight. A general fire call was sent in, and water was played on the mob and it was dispersed.

A call was made for the militia and several companies were ordered out. The soldiers restored order in their immediate vicinity, but were powerless beyond that.

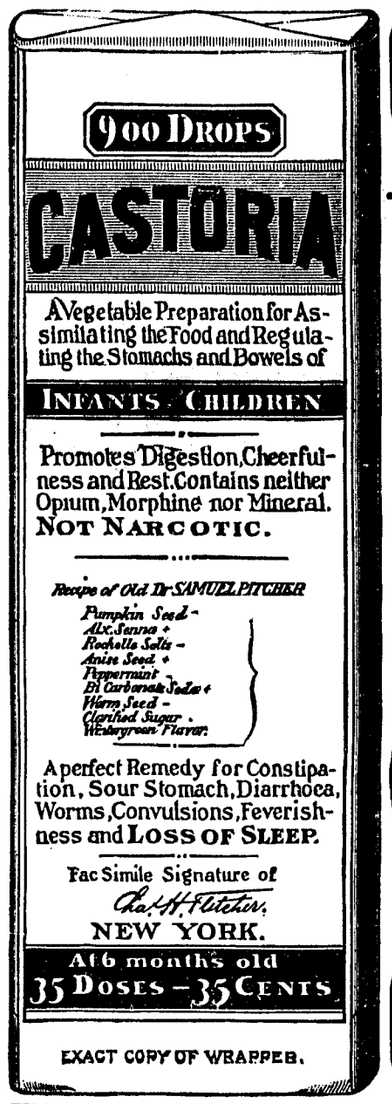
Not one of the negroes killed had anything to do with the attacks on white women.

GREAT STORMS MOVING.

When They Meet There Will Be Much Damage Done.

Washington, Spt. 25.—Two great storms are moving towards the east from opposite directions. Professor Garriett of the weather bureau said yesterday that when they meet there will be a general fall of rain in the Middle and Western States. One of the disturbances is another West Indian hurricane, which was reported to the Weather Bureau this morning to be off the west end of the island of Cuba. The other is a rainstorm now prevailing in the Northwest.

The hurricane is moving northward and the southward storm is moving southward, so that in the natural order of things they are expected to meet and considerable damage is likely to result.



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Rear Admiral Thomas Prosecuting Proprietor of Dance Hall for Refusing Sailor Admittance.

Oyster Bay, Sept. 25.—President Roosevelt has contributed $100 to be used by Rear Admiral Thomas in a legal suit instituted recently at Newport, R. I., to determine whether or not a man may be excluded from a public house of entertainment because he wears the uniform of the United States army and navy.

President Roosevelt has made public the following letter which he has sent to Rear Admiral Thomas:

"Oyster Bay, Sept. 24.

"Dear Admiral Thomas:

"I inclose $100 to be used in that suit which, thanks to you, has been so wisely undertaken to test the legality of excluding any man from any public place of entertainment because he wears the United States uniform. I feel that it is the duty of every good citizen to endeavor in every shape and way to make it plain that he regards the uniform of the United States army and navy just as much when worn by an enlisted man as when worn by an officer as a badge of honor and therefore entitling the wearer, so long as he behaves decently. There is no finer body of men in all our country than the enlisted men of the army and navy of the United States, and I cannot sufficiently express my indignation and contempt for any man who treats his uniform, save with the respect to which it is entitled. If a man misbehaves himself, then no matter what uniform he wears, he should be dealt with accordingly; but the fact of wearing the United States uniform should be accepted as presumptive evidence that the man who wears it is right; any discrimination against the uniform is much more than presumptive evidence that the man discriminating is all wrong. Sincerely yours,

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

DOWIE LEAVES ZION

PROPHET DECLARES HE WILL RETURN TO TRIUMPH OVER HIS ENEMIES.

Chicago, Sept. 25.—John Alexander Dowie today bade farewell to about 200 Zionists, the remnant of his numerous adherents. He will, on October 1, start for Mexico, where he hopes to regain his health, but there are few even of his most ardent followers who believe that he will ever reach there alive.

A mere shadow of the once fiery "Prophet," Dowie was today carried into the spacious parlors of Shiloh House by his two giant negro attendants, and in weak, trembling tones said to his assembled friends:

"I am going away, but I will return again to triumph over my enemies. I am a sick man, but the sickness is not of the body. I am suffering from a broken heart. My wife and son have left me and you are the only ones who remain faithful. Zion will become the greatest religious center in the world."

The closing scene in the active life of this one-time acknowledged leader of a peculiar sect was pathetic in the extreme. Women buried their faces in their hands and sobbed aloud while tears rolled down the cheeks of a majority of the bronzed men. Dowie was carried to the head of the stairs, where he pronounced the apostolic blessing and thus ended his career in Zion City.

Tells How She Killed the Baby.

Brewster, N. Y., Sept. 24.—Jeannie Burch, the 14-year-old nurse girl in the family of Herbert Winship of Cowls Corners, today confessed to the murder of her employers's two-and-one-half-year-old boy Wilbur Winship. She admitted, too that it was she who burned the barn and five times set fire to the house last Wednesday.

The confession was an intensely dramatic one. It was made by the bier of the little boy, while they held the funeral services over his little lifeless body.

The Mongolia is Floated.

Midway Island, Sept 22.—The Pacific Mail steamer Mongolia, which went on a reef near the island Saturday night, was successfully floated yesterday morning.

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THIS famous household remedy is not a "patent medicine" in any sense—but a delightful combination of roots, herbs and barks such as our grand parents used for Rheumatism, Indigestion, Torpid Liver, Blood Diseases and a run down system. Its simple ingredients are as harmless as milk. It contains no minerals, no alcohol, no poison of any kind. Bliss Native Herbs Tablets are free from coating and begin their healing work as soon as swallowed. Many people in this locality have used them. Many more testify in our Almanac, to be had free of cost. Each box contains 200 tablets for $1.00 and a printed Guarantee to cure or refund the money. The medicine is not sold in drug-stores, but only by

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THOUSAND DEAD IN THE TYPHOON

APPALLING HAVOC WROUGHT IN THE CITY OF HONGKONG BY TYPHOON.

Shipping Swept Away and Damages Will Run Well Up Into the Millions of Dollars.

Manila, Sept. 20.—Latest advices from Hongkong state that one thousand lives were lost during the recent typhoon, and the damage to property, public and private, will amount to millions of dollars.

Twelve ships were sunk, 24 were stranded, seven were damaged and one-half of the native craft in port were sunk.

The shipping trade has been paralyzed through lack of lighters.

Hongkong, Sept. 20.—The typhoon which swept this port, destroying a great number of vessels and causing much loss of life, was of a local nature. It came sudenly and without warning. The observatory had predicted moderote winds. Half an hour after the gun signal had been fired the storm was at its height. It lasted two hours. Most of the damage done was wrought on the Kowloon peninsula. The losses are estimated at several million dollars. Over one thousand campans and junks are missing from Hongkong alone. Wharves were swept away and houses collapsed. The military barracks are in ruins.

A Chinese revenue cruiser is ashore and several Indo-China and Manila liners narrowly escaped disaster.

The harbor is strewn with wreckage thrown upon the shore. Hundreds of Chinese boatmen and their families were saved by the bravery of the police and civilians, but several thousand of the Chinese water dwellers must have perished, many within short distances of the shore. The losses in lives and property amongst the Chinese were appalling. Today the police stations in Hongkong are surrounded by Chinese identifying their dead. The families of the Hongkong boatmen live night and day on the sampans, and thousands of these people are now homeless.

The Chinese take the disaster calmly and show no manifestations of grief.

One launch that was capsized had 130 Chinese on board. They were all drowned.

The river steamer Fatshan drifted into collision with the French mail steamer. The entire Chinese crew climbed aboard the French steamer and left Captain Thomas, who was injured, one officer and the engineer to navigate the Fatshan to Shelter Bay, where she was blown ashore.

The Bishop of Victoria, Dr. J. C. Hoare, was on his way to visit some neighboring islands when the storm broke, and is reported missing. His launch has been found floating bottom upwards.

Many valuable steel lighters have been lost. Some of them were hurled ashore. Channels will have to be dug to permit some of the vessels ashore to be refloated. The force of the wind and waves was such that some vessels were stranded almost high and dry.

The Japanese steamer Sada Maru rescued 66 natives and one English pilot as she was approaching Hongkong. The English mail steamers Delhi and Poona escaped damage.

The British cruiser Terrible entered port Tuesday afternoon and reported fine weather up to the harbor.

Sir Matthew Nathan, Governor of Hongkong, and the authorities are doing everything possible to render assistance. Reports of fresh disaster are arriving every hour.

Only a few Europeans are missing.

No reports are on hand to show how the fishing fleets and the ships outside the harbor fared.

Public opinion is incensed at the observatory for not reporting the approaching typhoon. An inquiry has been demanded. For years past the observatory has been subjected to adverse criticism, but on this occasion it is not believed to be blameable.

Gompers Waging Political War.

New York, Sept. 25—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, paid a flying visit to New York, and returned yesterday to Washington, after conferring with the leaders of the Independent Labor party. His object in coming here was to map out a plan of campaign against certain Congressmen who are said to have gone on record as being opposed to organized labor.

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